

SOCIETY

Mrs. Alexander Cameron, who for some weeks has been staying at her country home, "Cameron Lodge," near Gordonsville, Va., reached Richmond by Wednesday's afternoon train, on her way to Ocean View and Virginia Beach, where she goes for a few weeks of surf bathing and salt air. Mrs. Cameron is looking remarkably well. In her pretty summer gown and hat, she paused to tell of how delightful the country had proven in early summer; of how much charmed Mrs. James Allison was with "Froscatt"; of gay garden parties on smooth green lawns and of week-end gatherings, when gentlemen came up from Richmond to enjoy the ladies' society, along with the fresh air, the June roses and all such harmonious environment.

PRESENTATION EVENT A GREAT SUCCESS.

A social gathering could hardly be a greater success than that which marked the presentation, on Wednesday last, of the silver given by the Colonial Dames to the battleship Virginia. Mrs. William Ruffin Cox, the president of the society who was the prime factor in the ship being named for the State; Mrs. William McCrory Ramsay, of Westover, chairman of the committee of Dames entrusted with the selection of design for silver; and Mrs. L. R. Dashiell, chairman of the committee of arrangements, were all present, so that nothing was lacking in the completeness of the occasion. Hon. James Alston Cabell made the presentation address in his happiest style; Captain Schroeder and the ship's officers, assisted by Captain and Mrs. A. V. Wadhams, of the Portsmouth navy-yard, proved the most cordial and appreciative of hosts; the band played, as the first number on a select musical programme, the U. S. S. Virginia March, and in every detail, from the time the Dames assembled under the leadership of Mrs. Cox to the time when the hour came to say good-bye, every moment was full of pleasure.

Through all that was said and done last week, the chiming of June wedding bells sounded insistently. On Wednesday last, in Centenary Methodist Church, the Rev. Porter Hardy, of Lancaster county, and the Rev. Dr. W. J. Young officiated at the wedding of Miss Frances Irma Willerby to Mr. Walter Scott Murdock, of Mexico City, Mexico. After a Northern tour of about ten days, the young couple will begin their return to Mexico City, where they will live in future.

A pretty home wedding of Wednesday afternoon was celebrated when Miss Margaret Louise Roach was married to Mr. Samuel Kenneth Woodfin, the ceremony being performed at No. 2004 Grove Avenue, where the house had been turned into a bower of pink and green for the occasion.

WHITMAN-TAYLOR WEDDINGS.

Another home wedding of Wednesday marked the marriage of Miss Anna Callendine Taylor to Dr. William Rush Whitman, of Bramwell, W. Va., Dr. and Mrs. Whitman leaving the same evening for a Northern bridal tour.

Yesterday the Second Baptist Church was the scene of the wedding of Miss Mabel Montague to Mr. Robert Lewis Pendleton, an event of much interest to their many Richmond friends.

Quite the social event of yesterday was a double wedding, celebrated at Centenary M. E. Church, in which Miss Julia Griffin Brown was married to Dr. Allen Weir Freeman, and Miss Rose Andrews Brown became the bride of Mr. John Benjamin Swartwout. A brilliant reception followed the ceremony.

The last meeting of the Confederate Memorial Literary Society until the autumn was held in the Confederate Museum last Wednesday at noon. Reports from the vice-regents of the Solid South, Tennessee, Virginia, and Mississippi rooms show not only the fine work done by these vice-regents, but a noticeable increase of interest throughout the South in regard to what is being accomplished by the Society.

Wedded at Centenary.

The wedding of Miss Julia Griffin Brown to Dr. Allen Weir Freeman and of Miss Rose Andrews Brown to Mr. John Benjamin Swartwout was celebrated at 6:30 o'clock Saturday evening at Centenary Methodist Church, the Rev. W. J. Young, the pastor of the church, and the Rev. W. V. Tudor officiating.

The church was decorated with palms, white flowers and altar candles. Mr. Shepherd Webb directed the music. Miss Julia Griffin Brown was attended by Miss Florence Lee, of New York, her maid of honor, and Miss Annie Claiborne Rucker, of Manchester, performed the same office for Miss Rose Andrews Brown. The bridesmaids were: Misses Elsie Hays and Ellen Kronberger, of Philadelphia; Sarah Elizabeth Jones, of Germantown; Edith Watkins, of Little Alvey and Ruby Chevalier, with seed pearls. Their tulle veils were held with orange blossoms and the bouquets were showers of lily of the valley.

The maids of honor were in pretty toilets of pink tulle, trimmed with princess lace. They carried La France roses. The bridesmaids were in white China silk with Japanese sashes. Their flowers were pink sweet peas.

Little Miss May Freeman and Master Clarence Blair Brown, dressed all in white, were the ring-bearers.

Immediately after the church ceremony, a reception was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Dashiell. Mr. Douglas S. Freeman was best man to his brother, Dr. Freeman, and Mr. J. S. Pope was Mr. Swartwout's best man. The list of ushers included Mr. La Roy Brown, Jr., and Mr. James Ryland, of Richmond; Dr. Lewis Smed, of Columbus, O.; Messrs. Charles Lyon, Richard Moore and Frank Boxley, of Richmond.

The brides came in with their father, Mr. Le Roy Brown. They wore lovely gowns of white tulle and silk, made empire fashion and embroidered.

The house was most artistically decorated throughout and the reception was largely attended.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Swartwout left for a wedding trip North. Dr. and Mrs. Freeman will spend their honeymoon in the Virginia mountains. Both couples will have their homes for the future in Richmond, where the brides are popular and accomplished members of the younger society set, and the grooms well known and prominent in its social and professional life.

Miss Armstrong Engaged.
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hurt, of Black-

stone, Va., announce the engagement of their daughter, Sue Edward Armstrong, to Mr. Douglas Longstreet Tuggle. The marriage will take place the latter part of July, in St. Luke's Episcopal Church, of that place.

Miss Armstrong is the daughter of the late James Edward Armstrong, of Mississippi, and Mrs. W. E. Hurt, of Blackstone, whose maiden name was Miss Sallie Irby, of Nottingham county. Mr. Tuggle is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Tuggle, of Blackstone, Va., and is a rising young tobaccoist of that town.

Violet and White Wedding.

Violet and white was the color scheme at the wedding of Miss Helen Estlin Winston to Mr. John Benjamin Pinder, taking place at 11:30 o'clock Thursday morning, in the home of Judge and Mrs. Wilbur Sims, of Louisa, Va.

The Rev. Calvin Stewart, pastor of the Church of the Covenant in this city, performed the ceremony. Mr. Walter Pinder, the groom's brother, was his best man, and Mrs. Mary Summerville, the sister of the bride, groomed in violet crepe de chine and carrying violet sweet peas was the bride's matron of honor.

She was also attended by two brides-

maids, Miss Belle Pinder, of Richmond, and Miss Barbara Keen, of Louisa, who were pretty toilets of white French balais with violet ribbons.

The bride was lovely in white crepe de chine and tulle veil. Her flowers were white sweet peas and lilies of the valley. Her many Richmond friends are glad to know that her future husband is president of the Virginia-Carolina Hardware Company, and is equally well known in social and business circles. Mr. and Mrs. Pinder are now enjoying a Northern bridal trip.

Life at the Mansion.

Mrs. Swanson, after spending a week at "Eldon," her country place, near Chatham, where everything is now in luxuriant growth, has returned to the mansion for a short stay, though, on account of the present dismantled state of the building, she has discontinued her Wednesday afternoon at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham Hall and little son, returning from Atlantic City, will be with Mrs. Swanson for the first two weeks in July. After that Mrs. Swanson will return to Eldon to remain until the early autumn.

At Woman's Club.

Among the June gatherings none has been more pleasant than the Monday afternoon teas at the Woman's Club, which, since the close of the literary meetings, have brought the members together for a social hour or two after the heat of the day. This has also proved a convenient time for the meeting of the various committees, who are hard at work perfecting their programmes for next winter. With Mrs. W. E. Evans in charge of the lectures, Miss Ruth Kord of the literary committee, Mrs. W. G. Starnard, Miss Emma Whitfield and Miss Alice Leigh, chairman of history, art and philanthropy, respectively, the season promises to be one of unusual interest.

The Monday teas will be continued at least two weeks longer.

Interesting Wedding.

Miss Mabel Montague, daughter of Mrs. Susan Wood Montague, and the late William L. Montague, was quietly married Saturday afternoon in Second Baptist Church, to Mr. Robert Lewis Pendleton, treasurer of Essex county, and member of an old and prominent Virginia family. A number of friends and relatives wit-



MISS PAGE PELHAM HOWLETT.

Miss Howlett is the daughter of the late Captain H. C. Howlett, of Manchester, who served in the Confederate army. She is a daughter of the Delta Chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma, of Peabody College, Nashville, Tenn., to the convention meeting at Hampton, Va., July 30 to 31.

Miss Howlett not only took a high stand in her classes, but was very popular in the social life of the college.

nessed the ceremony, which was impressively performed by the Rev. Dr. W. R. L. Smith. Attendants were Messrs. Douglas Gordon, Samuel Bieger, Frank Latane and Thomas Ware.

The bride wore a traveling gown of old blue with hat and gloves to correspond, and carried a prayer book. She and the groom left after the ceremony for a Northern trip. They will live in Essex. Miss Montague is a cousin of former Governor Montague and a native Richmonder, though she has spent nine years in Langhorne, Pa.

American Beauties.

The bluen of American Beauty roses was put to shame by the softer glow mantling the cheeks of Richmond girls who danced the final serenade at the Virginia Military Institute last week.

Among the members of the graduating class at the institute for the year were Mr. Tasswell Elliott, Jr., and Mr. Edmund Archer Saunders, among the Richmond girls who upheld by their grace and dis-

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Mid-Summer Clearing Sale!

New Seasonable Apparel, at End-of-Season Prices

PRICES on all new, seasonable merchandise are now at their lowest ebb! RADICAL REDUCTIONS, generally looked for during the month of August, prevail in all departments THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE STORE! Every section is teeming with interesting warm weather bargain specials that every woman needs, whether she is preparing for the country or intends to stay in the city.

The items below only hint of the magnitude of this great sale. Come to-morrow, come early, so you will have time to look around at your leisure, THEN you will surely appreciate this unique sale, with its splendid money-saving opportunities.

August Reductions Throughout the Suit Lines

SUITS FOR WOMEN.

19 WHITE EMBROIDERY TRIMMED Cannon Cloth Eton Suits and Colored Chambray Shirt Waist Suits, sold up to \$5.98, now \$2.98
25 WHITE VAL LACE TRIMMED Laws Shirt Waist Dresses, white and colored cannon cloth and repp, Eton Suits, sold up to \$6.98, now \$3.50
18 PURE LINEN PONY and ETON SUITS; also Double-Breasted Semi-fitted Coat Suits, sold up to \$12.50, now \$7.50
6 WHITE AND BLACK STRIPED Double-Breasted Box Suits and White and Light Blue Embroidery Trimmed Pony Suits, sold up to \$17.50, now \$10.00
ALL THE FINE HAND-EMBROIDERED Suits and the Elaborately Trimmed White Dresses, reduced in same proportion.

SALE OF CHILDREN'S DRESSES.

35 CHILDREN'S SAILOR BLOUSE and Gimp Dresses, in blue, pink and green chambray, that sold up to \$1.50, now 75c
28 FANCY PLAID GIMP DRESSES that sold up to \$1.95, now \$1.25
25 EMBROIDERY TRIMMED Chambray Dresses and Lace Trimmed Dotted Swiss Dresses, sold up to \$3.98, now \$2.50

White Duck Hats For the Fourth!

At Greatly Reduced Prices

YOU WILL NEED ONE of these White Duck Hats to wear on that FOURTH OF JULY OUTING. We have them for women and children, all greatly reduced!

75c Large White Duck Hats, with bell crown, reduced to 35c
88c DUCK SAILOR TRIMMED, 88c.
PRETTY DUCK SAILOR, has embroidered crown, trimmed with silk pompon and buttons, another style trimmed with black and white ribbon and quill.
\$1.25 DUCK SAILOR TRIMMED, 75c.
DUCK SAILOR, crown of dainty dotted Swiss, trimmed with colored ribbon and large quill.
62c Untrimmed Duck Sailors, reduced to 38c

Children's Duck Hats

25c WHITE LINEN TAMS 19c
38c WHITE DUCK CAPS 25c
50c WHITE DUCK HATS 25c
75c WHITE LINEN CAPS 48c

Cool Kimonos at Quick Selling Prices

SHORT KIMONO of fine quality lawn, in dainty patterns, made with 1-4 inch tucks to form yoke back and front, with India linen borders; extra value, now 88c
SHORT KIMONO of plain crepon, made with shirring to form yoke back and front, border of pretty wash ribbon; special Monday \$1.25
LONG KIMONOS of dotted crepon, made with shirring yoke back and front, borders of saten, in pretty Persian designs, extra full skirt; sale price, now \$1.00
LONG KIMONOS of black and white dotted Swiss, square yoke and front, border of white dotted Swiss, pretty 3-4 sleeves, with ruffle of white Swiss; special value at, Monday only \$2.38

Long Gloves in Silk or Lisle.

KEYSER'S SILK GLOVES, in white or black, two clasps, Monday 50c
LONG WHITE LISLE GLOVES, open at wrist, twelve-button length; special value at 75c
LONG SILK GLOVES, with fine lace tops, in white only, quantity limited \$1.75
LONG ELBOW LENGTH ALL-Silk Gloves, double tips, at \$1.50 and \$2.00

Sale Items, at Next to Nothing Prices

FIFTY TRIMMED HATS, all the popular shapes and straw braids, up to \$15.00 values, choice,

\$2.48

LEATHER BELTS that were selling up to \$1.00, all colors, to-morrow

10c

FRITZSCHEFF LEATHER BELTS, black or white, regular value 25c,

15c

25c Lace Collars

10c

Linen, Lawn and Lace Wash Stoles; all our 25c kind reduced for Monday,

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10c

SAMPLE LINE OF CHILDREN'S HATS, CAPS AND BONNETS, in lace and embroidered effects; sold regular for 75c to \$2.48, Monday

23c

50c Linen Bags, three shapes to select from, white, tan or blue,

38c

25c Bags

18c

63c Dresden Ribbon, 35c

68 PIECES OF FINEST QUALITY ALL-SILK DRESDEN RIBBON, in full and delicate tints, has sold regularly at 62c; this lot purchased for this sale, Monday; while they last, yard 35c

Mid-Summer Prices on all Muslin Waists

THESE TWO items will give you an idea of the reductions throughout the Waist line (Jap. Silk Waists included). If you want one of them, come early!

\$1.39 Lawn Waists, 89c.

PERSIAN LAWN WAIST, round yoke front and back of German Val. lace, clusters of tucks beneath yoke, elbow sleeves.

PERSIAN LAWN WAIST, four strips of German Val. insertion in front, with embroidered panels between, tucked back; elbow sleeves.

\$2.98 Lingerie Waists, \$1.98

PERSIAN LAWN WAISTS, wide panel in front formed of strips of fine cluny lace, with French knots between, tucks on either side to allow fullness, tucked back, elbow sleeves.

WAIST OF FINE LINGERIE CLOTH, deep, square yoke front and back of blind embroidery and German Val. insertion, edged with lace, tucks and insertion beneath yoke, Dutch neck, elbow sleeves.

\$2.98 Jap Waists, \$1.98

JAP. SILK WAISTS, in both tucked and lace trimmed effects, button front or back, that sold at \$2.50, \$2.75 and up to \$2.98; to-morrow, \$1.98.

\$5.00 Jap Waists, \$2.98

Very effectively lace trimmed, button back, short sleeve Waist, in white, violet and pale blue, sold regularly at \$5.00; to-morrow, \$2.98

The Wanted Hose Specially Priced Monday

WOMEN'S MERCERIZED LISLE HOSE; also fine Cotton Gause Hose, warranted Gordon dyed hose and stainless, will not crack; same in lace effects; an extra special Monday 25c

WOMEN'S ALLOVER HERMSDORF DYED LACE HOSE, in novelty effect, double heel and toe, a 50c value at 85c

WOMEN'S HOOT HOSE of extra fine lisle, in lace effects, spliced heel and toe, Hermsdorf dyed; special 88c

WOMEN'S ALLOVER LACE HOSE, in the latest open work designs; also boot and plain Gause Lisle Hose, with garter top, double heel and toe, warranted stainless; special value 48c

WOMEN'S EXTRA FINE ALL-SILK HOSE, in black, double heel and toe; extra value \$1.60

WOMEN'S FINE PURE SILK HOSE, in black and white, strong lisle soles; special at \$1.00

Dainty Muslins for Summer--Underpriced

CORSET COVER of good cambric, made with two rows of torchon insertion and band of hemstitched tucks between, edging around neck and armholes of Val.; sale price 25c

DRAWERS OF GOOD QUALITY CAMBRIC, made with full lawn ruffle, trimmed with cluster hemstitched tucking and torchon insertion and edging; Monday at 88c

SKIRT OF CAMBRIC, made with ruffle of pretty embroidery, headed by cluster of hemstitched tucks, cambric dress ruffle; extra value at 75c

CHEMISE GOWN of soft-finished cambric, made with round low neck; two rows of Val. insertion and ribbon run, heading between, elbow sleeves, trimmed prettily with insertion and ruffles, edged with Val.; special at 98c

Two Linen Parasol Specials.

WHITE LINEN PARASOLS, with natural wood handles, wide hemstitched border, with ball, cord and tassel; special Monday 98c

ALL-LINEN PARASOLS, with three-inch band of hemstitched embroidery around edge, natural wood handles, regular \$2.00 value, Monday \$1.88

This Store will be Closed all Day, July 4th.

Guth Idlewood Inn

Special \$1.00 Meal

For Saturday and Sunday, from 6 to 9 P. M.

Chicken.	Soft Crabs.	Fish.
	French Fried Potatoes.	
	Tomatoes.	Cold Slaw.
	Hot Muffins.	
Coffee.	Tea.	Ice Tea.

tioned the prestige that has come down from former years was Miss Avis Grant, wearing white crepe de chine, with a K. A. pin, and dancing with Cadet Harold Whiting, of Lexington, Ky.

Miss Oley Prince Minor, with Cadet Arch Houston Bell, of Mt. Sidney, Va., was in white point d'esprit and displayed a K. A. pin.

Cadet Tasswell Elliott, Jr., and Edmund A. Saunders were dancing with Miss Effie De Van, of Wytheville, Va., who wore white messaline and chiffon, with pearls, and Miss Josephine Steel, of Petersburg, in light crepe de chine. Both of the young ladies had K. A. pins.

Miss Hawale Glazebrook wore white silk mull and pearls, and was dancing with Cadet Holcombe Adams, of Virginia.

Miss Henningham L. Elliott, in white net and pearls, with Cadet Stewart E. Brown, of Virginia.

Silver Wedding.
Invitations have been received in Richmond from Mrs. John Randolph Anderson for the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Dr. Brown Ayres and his wife, Mrs. Katie Anderson Ayres.

The anniversary will be celebrated Thursday, July 8th, from 8 to 10 o'clock, in the Anderson home at Lexington, Va.

Mrs. Ayres is the daughter of the late John Randolph Anderson and Mrs. Matie Helmsel Anderson, and niece of Mrs. John Harmer Glimmer, of this city. Dr. Ayres, who is a graduate of Washington and Lee University, met his wife during his student days in Lexington. For a number of years after his marriage he was a member of the faculty of Tulane University, and lived in New Orleans.

He is now the popular president of the University of Tennessee, at Knoxville. Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Ayres' mother, holds an annual family reunion at her home in Lexington during the summer, the one this year promising to be unusually pleasant. Messrs. John and Carr Anderson, Mrs. Ayres' brothers, are well known in the business and social world of Richmond, as they have been located here for several years.

Miss Peple's Cottage.
Miss Florence Peple has taken a cottage in beautiful and picturesque "Sugar Hollow," not far from Charlottesville, Va., and expects to entertain there a Richmond house party, says the Charlottesville Morning News. The News adds that perhaps Miss Peple's brother, the author and dramatist, may come to spend a short vacation with her in the mountains.

Miss Peple is at present having her cottage closed.

Closing Exercises.
Miss Petricola's piano class closed privately June 28th, the young ladies agreeing to meet in October for their musicale.

The first honor pupils were Misses Beale Douglas, Carrie Garthright, Margaret Gibson, Isabel Lindsey, Virginia Johnson, Emily Howerton, Susette Henry, Lillian Munn, Sara Carpenter, Anne Fleming, Mary Trueman.

Second honor pupils were Misses Jane Carson, Rhoda Dietrick, Mrs. Preston, Master Payson Bruce, Mr. Manning.

The gold medal for highest average was won by Miss Lillian Munn.

Miss Petricola is considering a very flattering offer to conduct a summer school in Charlotte, N. C., but if the offer is accepted she will return in time for her fall term here.

Engagement Announced.
The engagement of Miss Maude Marie Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. William Miller, of Winchester, Va., to Mr. Alonzo R. Swimley, also of Winchester, has been announced. The wedding to take place early in the autumn.

The Evening News of Winchester, in referring to the announcement, says: "Miss Miller's father is one of the leading Winchester merchants and she is a young lady of most attractive personality and charming manner. Her many friends here and in Martinsburg and other places will be much interested in the announcement of her approaching marriage. Mr. Swimley is the son of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Swimley, and is quite popular in Winchester. He is connected with the drug business of George E. Budinell & Company. Mr. Swimley is a talented musician."

Miss Shields Honored.
Miss Hattie Shields, who is visiting Miss Beale Merritt in Norfolk, had a sailing party given here and her young friends by Mr. Walter Winchard, aboard the Sagitta, Thursday afternoon last. Those present were Mrs. A. Plum-

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